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The Secretary-General presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 8 of Security Council resolution 816 (1993), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) regarding apparent violations of the ban on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 29 August and 5 September 1995, there appear to have been 44 flights of fixed-wing or rotary-wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with paragraph 1 of resolution 816 (1993) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with paragraph 2 of that resolution. Details as to the itinerary of flights in this reporting period are annexed to the present note verbale.

The total number of flights assessed as apparent violations is now 6,692.

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Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(29 August-5 September 1995)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, altitude, speed
6649	29 Aug.	0659	0712	The airborne warning and control system (AWACS) made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 15 kilometres south-west of Zvornik, whose track faded 21 kilometres north of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Low Slow
6650	29 Aug.	0700	0708	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 5 kilometres south of Zvornik, whose track faded 7 kilometres north of Banja Koviljaca. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Medium Slow
6651	29 Aug.	1017	1031	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 5 kilometres south-east of Sarajevo, whose track faded 43 kilometres north-east of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Low Slow
6652	29 Aug.	1055	1057	UNPROFOR personnel observed a blue and white helicopter (with a red cross) overflying an area 13 kilometres north-east of Cazin. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South Low Slow
6653	29 Aug.	1105	1115	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 25 kilometres south-west of Zvornik, whose track faded 20 kilometres east of Tuzla. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Medium-high Slow
6654	29 Aug.	1122	1128	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 15 kilometres north-east of Vares, whose track faded 10 kilometres west of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	South-west Low Slow
6655-6659	29 Aug.	1140	1600	UNPROFOR personnel observed blue and white Mi-17 helicopters (with red crosses) taking off from, overflying and landing at Zenica on five separate occasions. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Various Low Slow
6660	29 Aug.	1230	1232	UNPROFOR observed an Mi-17 helicopter overflying Prozor. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South-west Low Slow
6661	30 Aug.	1610	1619	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 12 kilometres south-east of Sarajevo, whose track faded 13 kilometres south-west of Pale. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	South-east Unknown Slow

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6662	30 Aug.	1637	1648	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 12 kilometres north-west of Gorazde, whose track faded 15 kilometres north-east of the city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	South-east Low Slow
6663	30 Aug.	1709	1725	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 7 kilometres north-east of Jablanica, whose track faded 25 kilometres south-west of Sarajevo. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Low Unknown
6664	30 Aug.	1719	1725	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 17 kilometres north-west of Mostar, whose track faded 8 kilometres north-west of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South-east Low Unknown
6665	30 Aug.	1738	1748	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 24 kilometres west of Gorazde, whose track faded 5 kilometres north-west of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Low Unknown
6666	31 Aug.	0820	0853	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 10 kilometres north-east of Gornji Vakuf, whose track faded 5 kilometres south-west of Tuzla. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North-east Medium Slow
6667	31 Aug.	1223	1225	UNPROFOR personnel observed a blue and white helicopter taking off 7 kilometres north-west of Cazin. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Low Slow
6668	1 Sept.	2156	2209	UNPROFOR personnel made contact with an unidentified aircraft 12 kilometres south-west of Sarajevo, whose track faded 15 kilometres south of the city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Unknown Slow
6669	2 Sept.	1710	1719	UNPROFOR personnel made contact with an unidentified aircraft 13 kilometres south-east of Sarajevo, whose track faded 28 kilometres south-east of the city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	South-east/east Unknown Slow
6670-6672	2 Sept.	2107	2109	UNPROFOR personnel observed three unidentified helicopters overflying Medugorje. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North Low Slow
6673 6674	3 Sept.	1310	1335	UNPROFOR personnel observed blue and white Mi-17 helicopters landing at Zenica on two separate occasions. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Low Slow
6675	3 Sept.	1500	1504	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 19 kilometres north-west of Gorazde, whose track faded 14 kilometres south-west of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in areas controlled by Bosnian Serbs and the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South Low Slow

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6676-6680	4 Sept.	0900	1355	UNPROFOR personnel observed blue and white Mi-17 helicopters taking off from, overflying and landing at Zenica on five separate occasions. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Various Low Slow
6681	4 Sept.	1543	1550	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 20 kilometres west of Kiseljak, whose track faded 5 kilometres north of the city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North-east Unknown Slow
6682-6683	4 Sept.	1630	1632	UNPROFOR personnel observed two green helicopters overflying Mostar. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	West Low Medium
6684	4 Sept.	1600	1604	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 10 kilometres north-east of Visoko, whose track faded 12 kilometres north-east of that city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Unknown Slow
6685	5 Sept.	0653	0658	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 27 kilometres north-east of Zenica, whose track faded 22 kilometres south-west of Tuzla. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North-east Low Slow
6686	5 Sept.	0707	0712	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 5 kilometres east of Zenica, whose track faded 15 kilometres south-east of the city. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Low Slow
6687	5 Sept.	0726	0732	AWACS made radar contact with an unidentified aircraft 15 kilometres north-east of Gornji Vakuf, whose track faded 15 kilometres north-west of Mostar. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Unknown Slow
6688	5 Sept.	0833	0835	UNPROFOR personnel observed an unknown green helicopter overflying Konjic. This unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Low Slow
6689-6692	5 Sept.	0925	1512	UNPROFOR personnel observed blue and white Mi-17 helicopters taking off from, overflying and landing at Zenica on four separate occasions. These unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Various Low Slow